

Sime Darby Berhad

(Company No. 41759-M)

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19th April 2002

Securities and Exchange Commission
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United States of America

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Dear Sirs

SIME DARBY BERHAD: FILE NO. 82-4968

Enclosed a copy of the following documents submitted to you in order to maintain our exemption pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934:-

- 1. Public announcements in relation to a change in the interest of Employees Provident Fund Board, a substantial shareholder released on 4th and 11th April 2002;
- Public announcement in relation to a change in the interest of Permodalan Nasional Berhad, a substantial shareholder - released on 4th April 2002; and
- 3. Public announcement in relation to a change in the interest of Yayasan Pelaburan Bumiputra, a substantial shareholder released on 4th April 2002.

We also confirm that the Schedule of Information included in our initial submission has not changed.

Yours faithfully

SIME DARBY BERHAD

NANCY YEOH POH YEW Group Secretary

Encl.

c.c. Ms. Anita Sung
The Bank of New York

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Changes in Substantial Shareholder's Interest Pursuant to Form 29B of the Companies Act. 1965

Ownership transfer to S DARBY on 04-04-2002 05:23:23 PM Submitted by S DARBY on 04-04-2002 05:31:42 PM Reference No CU-020403-5CB42

Submitting Merchant Bank

(if applicable)

Submitting Secretarial Firm Name

(if applicable)

Company name

Stock name

Stock code

Contact person Designation

Sime Darby Berhad

SIME

4179

Nancy Yeoh Poh Yew

Group Secretary

Particulars of substantial shareholder

Name * Address **Employees Provident Fund Board**

Ordinary shares of RM0.50 each

Tingkat 23, Bangunan KWSP

Jalan Raja Laut 50350 Kuala Lumpur

* NRIC/passport no/company no.

Nationality/country of

n/a

incorporation

Malaysia

Descriptions(class & nominal

value)

Name & address of registered

holder

Employees Provident Fund Board Tingkat 23, Bangunan KWSP

Jalan Raja Laut 50350 Kuala Lumpur

Details of changes

	Type of transaction	Date of change	No of shares	Price transacted (RM)					
*	Acquired	* 25-03-2002	* 2,100,000						
	Acquired	26-03-2002	120,000						
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Circumstances by reason of which change has occurred

: Purchase of shares by the Board

* Nature of interest

Direct

Direct (units)

312,526,305

Direct (%)

13,44

Indirect/deemed interest (units) Indirect/deemed interest (%)

* Total no of shares after

312,526,305

change

Date of notice

26-03-2002 🕮



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Ownership transfer to S DARBY/EDMS/KLSE on 11-04-2002 05:32:37 PM Submitted by S DARBY on 11-04-2002 05:38:43 PM Reference No CU-020409-754EA

Submitting Merchant Bank

(if applicable)

Submitting Secretarial Firm Name

(If applicable) .

Sime Darby Berhad Company name

SIME * Stock name Stock code 4179

Contact person Nancy Yeoh Poh Yew

Designation **Group Secretary**

Particulars of substantial shareholder

Name **Employees Provident Fund Board**

Address Tingkat 23, Bangunan KWSP

Jalan Raja Laut 50350 Kuala Lumpur

* NRIC/passport no/company no. n/a

Nationality/country of Malaysia

incorporation

Descriptions(class & nominal Ordinary shares of RM0.50 each

value)

Name & address of registered

holder

Employees Provident Fund Board Tingkat 23, Bangunan KWSP

Jalan Raja Laut 50350 Kuala Lumpur

Details of changes

	Type of transaction	Date of change * 27-03-2002		No	of shares	Price transacted (RM)
*	Acquired			* 820,000		
	Acquired		28-03-2002		98,000	
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 Circumstances by reason of which change has occurred

: Purchase of shares by the Board

* Nature of interest : Direct
Direct (units) : 313,444,305
Direct (%) : 13.48

Indirect/deemed interest (units)

Indirect/deemed interest (%)

* Total no of shares after : 313,444,305

change

* Date of notice : 28-03-2002 🗓



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Ownership transfer to S DARBY on 04-04-2002 05:23:23 PM Submitted by S DARBY on 04-04-2002 05:31:34 PM Reference No CU-020403-5C220

Submitting Merchant Bank

(if applicable)

Submitting Secretarial Firm Name

(if applicable)

Company name

Stock name

Stock code

* Contact person

Designation

Sime Darby Berhad

SIME

4197

Nancy Yeoh Poh Yew

Group Secretary

Ordinary shares of RM0.50 each

Particulars of substantial shareholder

Name

Permodalan Nasional Berhad

Address

Tingkat 4, Balai PNB 201-A, Jalan Tun Razak 50400 Kuala Lumpur

NRIC/passport no/company no.

38218-X

Nationality/country of

incorporation

Malaysia

Descriptions(class & nominal

value)

* Name & address of registered

holder

Permodalan Nasional Berhad Tingkat 4, Balai PNB 201-A, Jalan Tun Razak 50400 Kuala Lumpur

Details of changes

	Type of transaction	Date of change		No of shares		Price transacted (RM
*	Disposed	*	28-03-2002	*	20,000,000	
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* Circumstances by reason of which change has occurred

Sale of shares by the company

Nature of interest

Direct

Direct (units) : 318,179,200 Direct (%) : 13.68

Indirect/deemed interest (units)
Indirect/deemed interest (%)

* Total no of shares after 318,179,200

change

* Date of notice : 28-03-2002 19



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Changes in Substantial Shareholder's Interest Pursuant to Form 29B of the Companies Act. 1965

Ownership transfer to S DARBY on 04-04-2002 05:23:23 PM Submitted by S DARBY on 04-04-2002 05:31:35 PM Reference No CU-020403-5C7D9

Submitting Merchant Bank

(if applicable)

Submitting Secretarial Firm Name

(if applicable)

Company name

Stock name

Stock code

Contact person

Designation

Sime Darby Berhad

SIME

4197

Nancy Yeoh Poh Yew

Group Secretary

Particulars of substantial shareholder

Name

Yayasan Pelaburan Bumiputra

Address

c/o Permodalan Nasional Berhad

Tingkat 4, Balai PNB 201-A, Jalan Tun Razak 50400 Kuala Lumpur

* NRIC/passport no/company no.

Nationality/country of

incorporation

37113-P Malaysia

Descriptions(class & nominal

Name & address of registered

Permodalan Nasional Berhad Tingkat 4, Balai PNB

201-A, Jalan Tun Razak 50400 Kuala Lumpur

Ordinary shares of RM0.50 each

Details of changes

	Type of transaction	Date of change		No of shares		Price transacted (RM)
`	Disposed	*	28-03-2002	*	20,000,000	
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 Circumstances by reason of which change has occurred

Sale of shares by the company's subsidiary

* Nature of interest : Deemed interest

Direct (units) Direct (%)

Indirect/deemed interest (units) 318,179,200 Indirect/deemed interest (%) 13.68 * Total no of shares after 318,179,200

change

* Date of notice 28-03-2002